

OUR WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

The Tax Commissioner has instructed the assessors not to list the dogs for taxation this year. Pupp will not attain the dignity of paying a poll tax until next year.

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Harmon Adkins, son of Canaan Adkins, died at Dunlow last week, while en route to his home from Huntington, where he had gone to take medical treatment. The cause of his death was Bright's disease.

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Frank Bing, one of the representative citizens of Wayne county, died at his home near East Lynn last Friday evening of cancer of the stomach.

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Point Pleasant is without a mayor, clerk or council because the Circuit Court issued a writ of prohibition forbidding Mayor Howard, Clerk Whaley, and Councilmen Hoot and Wilson from acting until a hearing is had next June. The above are all Democrats.

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The twenty ninth annual Sunday School Convention for West Virginia will convene at Huntington on Tuesday April 16, and will remain in session for three days.

Those desiring to attend the Convention may obtain credentials and reduced railroad card orders by sending their name to E. W. Merrill, County Secretary, of Wayne, W. Va.

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In an accident last Friday John Fyles, of Centerville, was badly injured. While on his way home his team became frightened and the express turned over dragging him for some distance. His throat was cut badly and he is in a very critical condition. His wife and daughter-in-law were in the express also, but they were hurt very badly.

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Henry Craft, of Centerville, lost his house and part of his furniture by fire last Wednesday night. It is supposed to have caught from the kitchen fire. He has our sympathy.

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Governor Dawson has made public the appointment of former Governor Albert B. White as state tax commissioner, succeeding Chas. W. Dillon, of Fayette county, whose resignation has been pending for some time. The appointment became effective Monday, April 1st. It has been known for several days that Mr. White would receive the appointment if he cared to accept the position, but until last evening the former state executive could not see his way clear to accept.

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Charleston, W. Va., April 6. — Prostrated as a woman would be, Col. A. S. Hutson after midnight this morning, was lying in his room at the Kanawha Hotel. He was unable to say what he wanted to say, and though he tried several times to make reply to questions, he failed to make himself understood.

That was after he had been released on bond of \$15,000 on which he is being held for an alleged embezzlement from the office of the adjutant general of the state of West Virginia. It is reported that he was short \$300, and that that shortage was on the account of 1905.

Yesterday, shortly after noon, Col. Hutson was indicted by the grand jury of the intermediate court for misappropriating state funds. The indictment was returned on information as produced by the board of officers comprised of Col. C. E. Morrison, Col. A. N. Simms and Col. C. A. Osborn. As a board of survey, they appeared before the grand jury and it was not long after they left the jury chamber that the indictment was returned. Then an officer went after Col. Hutson. He was found in his room at the Kanawha Hotel, and accompanied Deputy Sheriff Millard F. Dawson to the office of the prosecuting attorney without question.

Just before 8 o'clock last night Col. Hutson gave bond, James P. Clark and L. Young being the surety.

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Morgantown, W. Va., April 6. — Complete returns from the city election show that the Republicans made almost a clean sweep, electing the following officials: Mayor, J. N. Lucas; Recorder, Frederick Fleniken; Councilmen, Albert Price, E. G. Donley, William Shoemaker, James S. Quinn and Wesley Ford and School Commissioner, William H. Bailey.

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In Thursday's election at Guyanotte, Tom Rogers, Republican, was defeated for Mayor, by James Murphy, Democrat. The vote was 205 to 147.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 5. — News of a sensational reunion of Alexander Van Wyth with his wife after 35 years' separation, during which she had twice been married and raised two families of children at Freeport, Wirt county, was brought to the city today.

The reunion was short lived, because of the alleged attempt, said to have been successful, of the long lost husband to secure money as a loan from the woman's present husband, and his later indisposition to pay. The wife, as the result of the affair, became a raving maniac.

When she had recovered Van Wyth told a remarkable story. He had been shipwrecked and finally landed in Australia, where he worked for years before he secured money enough to pay his way home. Money was given him by his wife to go to the home of his daughter.

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The report in Williamson is that all the city authorities, of Huntington, including the mayor, have been indicted in the Federal court for interfering with a United States Marshal in the discharge of his duty. They have been released under bond until October.

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The election yesterday which resulted in a victory for the Democrats was one of the quietest ever held in the city. While the Democrats used their machinery to perfection they did not attempt any bull coming and aside from their conduct inside the election room, it was better than expected.

The Democratic party in the city seems to have changed its mind in regard to the colored votes. Heretofore the "nigger" has been beaten over the head and threatened with death if he attempted to vote. In the election Thursday the Democrats hugged the colored gentlemen and if they could not get his vote by a love song they dealt out the club.

There was absolutely no question made of the right of a colored man to vote if he had been fired by the right party—Mingo Republican.

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Sutton, W. Va., April 5. — Lloyd Garey and his bride of two days were incinerated in the burning of the Riverview Hotel the principal hotel of Sutton, at 3 o'clock last afternoon. Standing in the window of her room on the second floor of the hotel, with the flames encircling her, Mrs. Gary was be-

lieved to jump from the window to the river below, but she did not heed the advice of those gathered below, who were anxious, but powerless to save her by their efforts and closing the window, she succumbed to a terrible fate with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Garey came to Sutton yesterday from Moundsville, where on the day before they were united in marriage. They took quarters at the Riverview Hotel and intended to drive out to the home of Mr. Garey's mother, five miles from Sutton today.

The fire broke out in the basement in the laundry department of the hotel, and is supposed to have had its origin in a rubber floor that was used to transport natural gas in that department. In a few minutes the hotel was enveloped in flames, and nothing was saved by the proprietors. Every guest in the hotel, with the exception of Mr. Garey and his young wife, made their departure in absolutely safety, and the presence of the newly married couple in the burning hotel seemed to be forgotten for awhile.

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Wayne will soon have a new four room school building. This building has been badly needed for years.

ROVE CREEK.

Miss Mary Bockook was visiting relatives onrove Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Edwards Bryan and Rush Campfield paraded down our creek last week with a nice drove of cattle.

S. A. Lambert has returned to Ashland, after a few days visit onrove Creek.

Misses Besie Stamp, Elsie Vanhorn and Mary Bockook attended Sunday School at the Buchanan Chapel Sunday.

Grant Powers passed down our creek Sunday.

George Bryan is going to farm with A. J. Burton this season.

Henry Lambert sold four nice steers last week.

Printis Stewart bought a nice two year old colt last week.

Mr. Lamb's daughter from Floyd county, is visit home folks the last week.

Charles Lambert is very low with measles.

Jay Kelley has gone into the swine business.

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